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Letter dated 25 March 2004 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1528 (2004), dated 27 February 2004, whereby the Council established the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCI).

Following the usual consultations, it is my intention to appoint Major-General Abdoulaye Fall (Senegal) to the post of Force Commander of UNOCI. It is likewise my intention to include Bangladesh, Benin, France, Ghana, the Kingdom of Morocco, Niger, Pakistan, Senegal, Togo and Ukraine in the initial list of countries which have agreed to provide military personnel to UNOCI.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Kofi A. **Annan**

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